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Inventor: Cerretti, Douglas P. Attny. Docket No.: 2517US
Int'l. Application No.: PCT/US00/01338
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Priority Date: 21 January 1999
Title: METALLOPROTEINASE-DISINTEGRIN FAMILY MEMBERS:
SVPH DNAS AND POLYPEPTIDES

Attention: Office of Petitions
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Washington, D.C. 20231


**PETITION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.137(b) FOR
REVIVAL OF AN UNINTENTIONALLY ABANDONED APPLICATION**


Sir:

Applicant submits this Petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b) for revival of the above-identified application, which was unintentionally abandoned on 23 July 2001 (21 July 2001 was a Saturday), for failure to submit a national filing phase application at the expiration of 30 months from the priority date of 21 January 1999.

Submitted herewith, as required by 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.137(b)(1-4), are the following:

1. The required reply, as set forth under 37 C.F.R. § 1.495, including:
 - a. A copy of the International Application, originally filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in the United States.
 - b. An English translation of the international application, and
 - c. The basic national fee of \$1,496.00;
2. The petition fee of \$1240.00, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(m);
3. A statement pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b)(3) that the entire delay in filing the required reply, from the due date to the filing of a grantable

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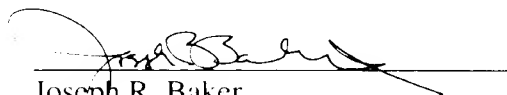
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Applicant respectfully petitions for revival of the above-identified application and entry into the national stage under 35 U.S.C. §371. Applicant discovered the unintentional abandonment on July 24, 2001, and has been diligent in requesting this petition for revival under 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b). The entire delay from the due date to the filing of the grantable petition was unintentional.

Please charge the total amount of \$2736.00, which consists of \$1240.00 for the fee to file the Petition to Revive an Unintentionally Abandoned Application, and \$1496.00 for the fee to file the national application. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated herewith, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 09-0089. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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